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## PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Sir:

Applicant hereby petitions for the minimum extension of time necessary so that the accompanying Amendment and Response to Final Office Action may be timely filed.

It is believed that an extension of three months is required. Payment is being made through the Electronic Filing System in the amount of \$555 (small entity status). If this amount is incorrect, please charge any deficiency or credit any overpayment to deposit account no. 07-1969.

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